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The Night Watch: Rembrandt's Masterpiece of Light and Shadows

Short Answer

1. Describe the central figures in "The Night Watch" and their significance in the painting.
2. How does Rembrandt use light and shadow in "The Night Watch," and what effect does it create in the composition?
3. Explain the historical context of "The Night Watch" and its connection to Amsterdam's civic militia tradition.
4. Discuss the recent restoration efforts on "The Night Watch" and their purpose.
5. What are some interpretations of "The Night Watch," and why is it considered a dynamic representation of a militia company?

